

never our intention to substitute public money for private settlement—but rather to stand up to a share of the obligation we believe rests with the Government. As Members know, in Japan recently a settlement was announced that involves both the industry and the Government. The Japanese proposal offers a significantly larger financial settlement than is being discussed in this country, with the Government shouldering 44 percent of the burden. In addition, apologies were extended to the victims and their families and the responsibility of the Japanese Government and the blood products companies was clearly acknowledged. While I commend the blood products companies for their offer to the American victims, I still think it is important that all parties involved stand up to their obligations and that means we must explore Government sharing in the compensation. Only in that way will real justice be reached in the United States.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. GOSS) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. BURTON of Indiana, for 5 minutes each day, on April 23, 24, and 25.

Mr. PORTER, for 5 minutes, on April 24.

#### EXTENSION OF REMARKS

By unanimous consent, permission to revise and extend remarks was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. GOSS) and to include extraneous matter:)

Mr. WAXMAN.

Mr. CARDIN.

(The following Member (at the request of Mr. GOSS) and to include extraneous matter:)

Mr. LOBIONDO.

#### ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 3034. An act to amend the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act to extend for two months the authority for promulgating regulations under the act.

#### BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee did on the following date present to the President, for his approval, bills of the House of the following titles:

On April 19, 1996:

H.R. 255. An act to designate the Federal Justice Building in Miami, Florida, as the "James Lawrence King Federal Justice Building";

H.R. 869. An act to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 125 Market Street in Youngstown, Ohio, as the "Thomas D. Lambros Federal Building and United States Courthouse";

H.R. 1804. An act to designate the United States Post Office-Courthouse located at South 6th and Rogers Avenue, Fort Smith, Arkansas, as the "Judge Isaac C. Parker Federal Building";

H.R. 2415. An act to designate the United States Customs Administrative Building at the Yuleta/Zaragoza Port of Entry located at 797 South Zaragoza Road in El Paso, Texas, as the "Timothy C. McCaghren Customs Administrative Building"; and

H.R. 2556. An act to designate the Federal building located at 345 Middlefield Road in Menlo Park, California, and known as the Earth Sciences and Library Building, as the "Vincent E. McKelvey Federal Building."

On April 22, 1996:

H.R. 3034. An act to designate the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act to extend for two months the authority for promulgating regulations under the act.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Mr. GOSS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 2 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, April 23, 1996, at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour debates.

#### EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XXIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

2434. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting a report of enhancement or upgrade of sensitivity of technology or capability for Saudi Arabia (Transmittal No. D-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b)(5)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1772. A bill to authorize the

Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain interests in the Waihee Marsh for inclusion in the Oahu National Wildlife Refuge Complex; with an amendment (Rept. 104-528). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1836. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire property in the town of East Hampton, Suffolk County, NY, for inclusion in the Amagansett National Wildlife Refuge (Rept. 104-529). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BATEMAN (for himself and Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi) (both by request):

H.R. 3281. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for certain maritime programs of the Department of Transportation, and for other purposes; to the committee on National Security.

H.R. 3282. A bill to authorize expenditures for fiscal year 1997 for the operation and maintenance of the Panama Canal, and for other purposes; to the Committee on National Security, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MORAN (for himself, Mrs. MORELLA, and Mr. DAVIS):

H.R. 3283. A bill to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to issue a regulation that consolidates all environmental laws administered by the Agency and health and safety laws applicable to the construction, maintenance, and operation of aboveground storage tanks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. HYDE:

H.J. Res. 173. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to protect the rights of victims of crime; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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By Mr. FAZIO of California:

H. Res. 408. Resolution designating minority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

#### PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

Mr. LONGLEY introduced a bill (H.R. 3284) for the relief of Nancy B. Wilson; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.